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8   UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

9   FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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11   WILLIAM JAMES WALLACE, II,   No. 2:20-cv-1301 KJN P

12   Plaintiff,

13   v.

14   CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF   ORDER
     CORRECTIONS & REHABILITATION,
15   et al.,

16   Defendants.

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18   Plaintiff, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, has filed a civil rights action pursuant to 42

19   U.S.C. § 1983, together with a request to proceed in forma pauperis. In his complaint, plaintiff

20   alleges violations of his civil rights by defendants. Plaintiff has also filed a motion for temporary

21   restraining order and preliminary injunction. (ECF No. 4.) The alleged violations took place in

22   Kings County, which is part of the Fresno Division of the United States District Court for the

23   Eastern District of California. See Local Rule 120(d).

24   Pursuant to Local Rule 120(f), a civil action which has not been commenced in the proper

25   division of a court may, on the court's own motion, be transferred to the proper division of the

26   court. Therefore, this action will be transferred to the Fresno Division of the court. In light of

27   1996 amendments to 28 U.S.C. § 1915, this court will not rule on plaintiff's request to proceed in

28   forma pauperis.

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1   Good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

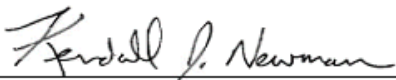2   1. This court has not ruled on plaintiff's request to proceed in forma pauperis;

3   2. This action is transferred to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of

4   California sitting in Fresno; and

5   3. All future filings shall reference the new Fresno case number assigned and shall be

6   filed at:

7   United States District Court
                Eastern District of California
                2500 Tulare Street
8   Fresno, CA 93721

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10   Dated: June 30, 2020

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12   /wall1301.22   KENDALL J. NEWMAN
                                                     UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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